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Dear George:

As we discussed "The Raid" earlier this month, you indicated that you would entertain a written query on several of the points we touched upon. In that spirit may I ask your help on the following questions, under whatever ground rules you suggest?

1.) On what specific date did the intelligence community first learn the names of the eleven (11) dead POWs on the list which [redacted] released to the State Department on 23 November 1970?

2.) On what date (s) did the intelligence community first learn that the prisoners had been moved from Son Tay in mid-July of 1970?

3.) What nationality were the troops billeted at the "Secondary School" 400 or so meters south of Son Tay prison? (I refer to the compound at which Bull Simons was first landed, and not, of course referring to the North Vietnamese guards there.)

4.) Can you give me several small specific examples...."nuggets", if you will....to illustrate Chinese, Soviet and North Vietnamese reaction to the raid?

Sincerely,

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